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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: 10/066,850

Applicant: Ilya AVRUTOV et al.

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Examiner: MORRIS, Patricia L.

For: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF SUBSTITUTED 2-(2-PYRIDYLMETHYL)
SULFINYL-1H-BENZIMIDAZOLES

Docket No.: 1662/55702

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Commissioner for Patents

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RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.114 AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicants request continued examination (RCE) of the above identified application under 37 CFR §1.114, which is to be amended in light of the Amendments below. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the RCE fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Amendments begin on page 2.

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